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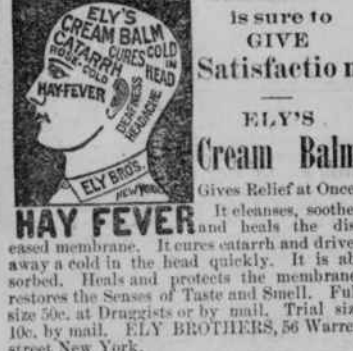
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RUSSIA AND JAPAN.

As was stated yesterday, Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister in London, has been informed from Paris that Russia has decided not to grant the Japanese proposals. The Baron said: "If my information from Paris is borne out by the wording of the Russian reply, and if the Japanese government adheres to its present determination, there seems to be small possibility of averting war. My information from Paris," said the Minister of Japan, "is not official, but in connection with information imparted to me by the British government it is probably only too correct. If Chancellor von Buelow's statement that Russia's reply will be framed in a manner intended to satisfy Japan turns out correct it will be better news than I have dared to hope for."

It was learned that Japan has secured a large additional amount of coal in the name of one of the largest English shipping firms sending vessels to the Far East and has purchased two vessels for hospital ships.

The British foreign office is unable to confirm or deny Baron Hayashi's information. The official, however, say they are not surprised at the tenor of his advice.

The foreign office seems inclined to think that Russia will, if possible, avoid making a reply of any kind to the last Japanese note. Foreign Secretary Lansdowne has informed one of the foreign ambassadors that he has practically given up all hopes of peace. At the embassies in London the statement made by Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister, that he had been informed from Paris that Russia had decided not to grant the Japanese proposals is regarded as being most grave, especially in view of the Minister's statement that his information came from Paris, and the fact that he permitted such information to become known at this critical stage.

The Foreign Office at St. Petersburg says nothing had been done in connection with a reply to Japan. The Japanese Minister there is unable to confirm or deny the advice received from Paris by Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister to Great Britain, that Russia has decided not to grant the Japanese proposals. He says an answer to these proposals has not been made. It is generally accepted in diplomatic circles in St. Petersburg as unlikely that an answer will soon be delivered, and attention is now mainly directed to the Japanese war preparations.

The German government has been informed that Russia's reply to Japan is not provocative, and that it is sincerely intended to satisfy Japan. The aroused state of Japanese public opinion is fully recognized in Berlin.

HOT WATER CURE.

The fact is that the hot water treatment for typhoid fever had been tried in Baltimore with success was announced yesterday by Dr. C. Hampson Jones, assistant commissioner of health. "It may not be generally known," said Dr. Jones, "but it has been found that some cases of typhoid fever that could not be relieved with ice water have been cured with hot water." The medical world has been very much interested in the case of a little girl typhoid patient in a London hospital, who had been kept in a bath of hot water for five days. She is only five years old. She lies on water pillows and her body is entirely under water, which is kept at a constant temperature of 101 degrees by an arrangement of hot and cold water entering the mixing cistern, from which it flows into the bath and thence out by a pipe. In the five days the child's temperature has fallen from 105 to 103 degrees, but the crisis has yet to come. At least three weeks must be spent in the bath before the disease can be shaken off. Some years ago at the London hospital a man was kept immersed for six weeks and recovered. After Dr. Jones's attention had been called to the case he said that such a treatment was not entirely new in Baltimore, although it may not be generally known. He mentioned a hospital in which typhoid patients had been cured by means of the hot water bath. Their temperature could not be reduced by ice water.

MURDER AND ROBBERY.

Clarkson, Howard county, Md., was thrown into great excitement last night by the murder of Hugh McAvoy, 63 years old, in the store of his brother, Joseph A. McAvoy. The motive was robbery. The proprietor of the store had gone to his home, about 150 yards distant, for supper, leaving his brother to take charge of the place. When he returned to the store, about 9 o'clock last night, he could not, at first, find his brother. He called loudly several times, and receiving no response, started an investigation. In a few moments he found his brother lying dead in a pool of blood behind the counter. The murdered man had been shot in the head with a shotgun. Further investigation disclosed the fact that the money drawer had been robbed of about \$45. The store building in which the tragedy occurred stands alone, and is a considerable distance from the nearest dwelling. There is no clue to the murderer. A negro was seen loitering about the place in the afternoon, and it is supposed that he entered the store while Hugh McAvoy was there alone, and, after murdering him, secured the money from the money drawer and fled.

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